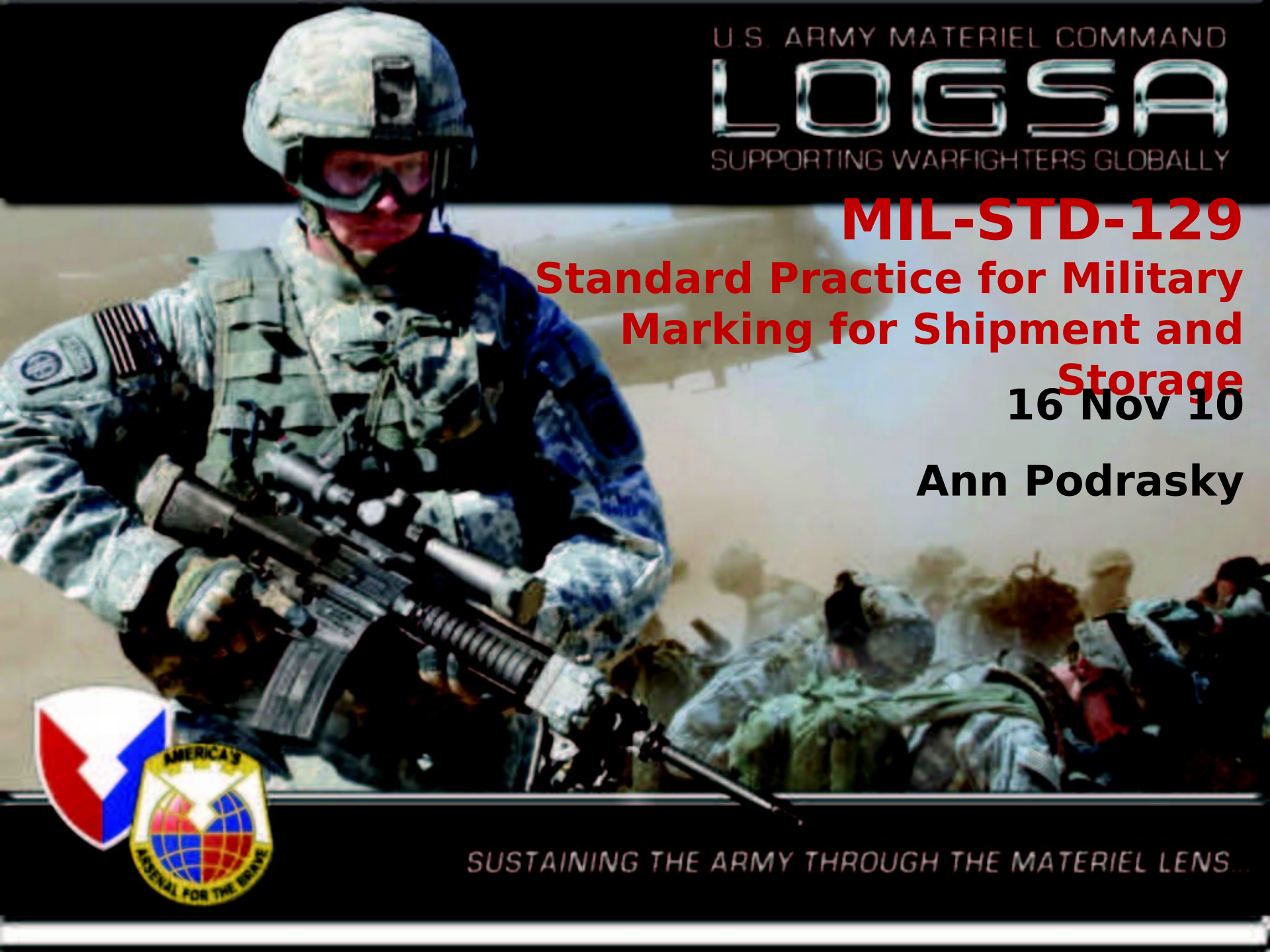

MIL-STD-129

Standard Practice for Military Marking for Shipment and Storage

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OUTLINE

- History of MIL-STD-129
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History

- **One of the most widely used standards in DoD and Industry for vendor and intra-DoD movements**

- **DoD/Industry marking requirements for 59 years**

- **14 Revisions and 29 Change Notices**
  - **1st edition – 51 pages (1951)**
  - **Revision "H" – 106 pages (1978)**
  - **Revision "J" – 156 pages (1984)**
  - **Revision "M" – 309 pages in four documents (19[illegible])**
  - **Revision "N" with MIL-HDBK-129 - 106 pages (1997)**
  - **Revision "P" – 140 pages (2002)**
  - **Revision "P" with Change 4 – 145 pages (2007)**

LOGSA PSCC's Role with MIL-STD-129

- **LOGSA PSCC is the Preparing Activity and Army Custodian for 43 years**
- **PSCC alone does not determine marking requirements**
- **Partner with other organizations responsible for specific requirements**
  - **DoD (AIT, Hazardous Materials (HAZMAT), and Clothing and Textiles communities)**
  - **Industry (ASTM International)**
  - **Other Government agencies (General Services Administration)**

Recommended Changes for MIL-STD-129

Overall

- Align CONTENTS pages, correct editorial and grammatical errors
- Remedy format problems
- Add/delete acronyms and abbreviations
- Update document references in section 2
- Amend United States Transportation Command (USTRANSCOM) website
  - ✓ New web address – http://www.transcom.mil/ait
- Remove the terms MILVAN and CONEX

Recommended Changes for MIL-STD-129 (Cont)

- **PSCC Collaboration with USTRANSCOM**
  - **Changes to the Military Shipping Label (MSL) to implement the Transportation Tracking Number (TTN) for unit move shipments**
    - **Joint Requirements Oversight Council Memorandum 034-09, 27 Feb 09**
  - **Updates to Unique Item Identification (UII) requirements**
  - **Updates to 2D (PDF417) tables**

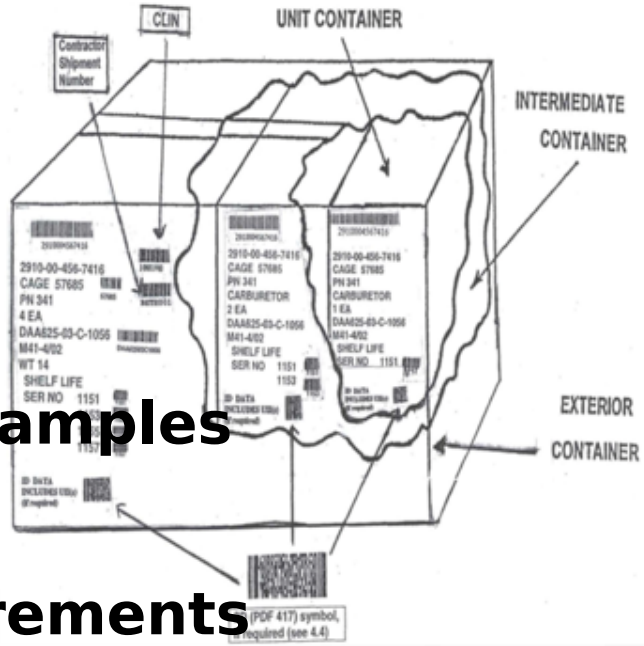
Recommended Changes for MIL-STD-129

- **PSCC Collaboration with Joint Munitions Command and ARDEC at Rock Island, Air Force at Wright Patterson**

  - **clarify various paragraphs in section nition and explosives**
  - **raphs on marking of protected cargo sensitive, classified, and pilferable) 3.14 and 5.3.3b**
  - **ara 5.1.5. All marks and materiel gs not applicable to the shipment shall d. Additional guidance is in para 5.2.21.**

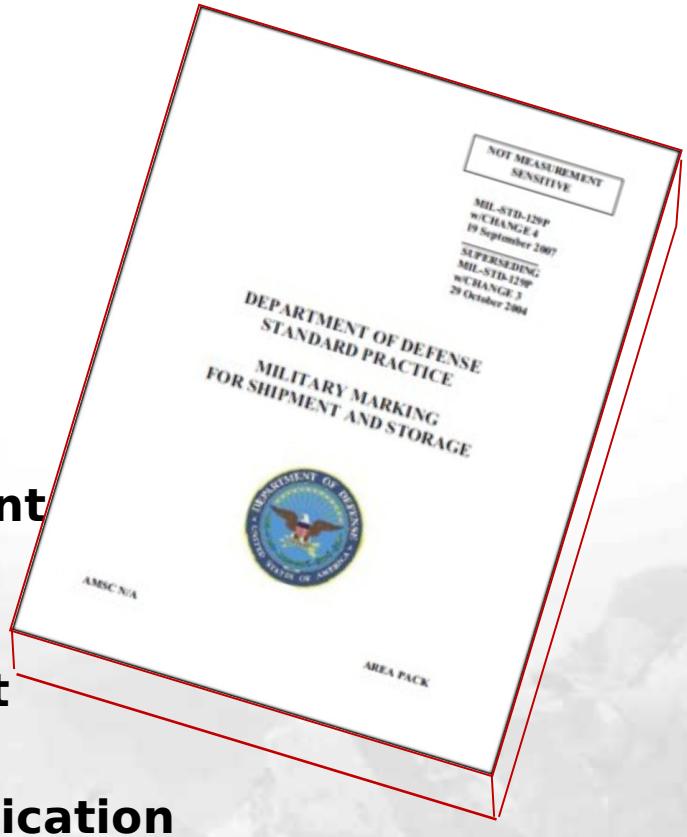
Recommended Changes for MIL-STD-129

- **Other proposed changes**
  - **Enlarge Figure 1 for clarity**
  - **Provide additional figures as examples**
  - **Better define packing list requirements**
  - **Describe palletized unit loads in more detail for identification and bar code marking**



Draft Development

- PSCC is currently seeking comments to update the standard
- Produce first draft for coordination
- Coordinate first draft for comment
  - 45 – 60 days
- Review comments
- Coordinate second draft for comment
  - 30 – 45 days
- Make final changes/updates to draft
- Furnish standard to ASSIST for publication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Submit Comments

- **Current designated Custodians:**
  - **Army – SM**
    - ✓ **LOGSA Packaging, Storage, ar Containerization Center**
  - **Navy – SA**
    - ✓ **Navy Supply Systems Command**
  - **Air Force – 69**
    - ✓ **Air Force Packaging Technology and Engineering Facility**
  - **Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) – DH**
    - ✓ **HQ DLA**

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